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From: Valentina Janjus <vjanjus@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, March 03, 2015 1:25 PM
To: LABTestimony
Subject: I support One Fair Wage!

Dear Most Honored Committee,

I support One Fair Wage in CT because what I'd like more than anything for any US laborer is to create a wage we all can depend on. I proudly worked in the restaurant industry, and I appreciated every tip that I received from every customer, but I strongly disagree with anyone who believes that I should have depended on my customers, only, for my wages, due to the fact that they have freedom not to tip, even though they use the service. This was the reason I left the industry I otherwise liked working at. The current tipped minimum wage of \$5.78 in Connecticut isn't enough. The 57,000 tipped workers in this state -- need a raise.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to congratulating you for passing this legislation soon!

Sent from my iPhone